

I think Republicans are more hypocritical because they say a lot of stuff that they don't mean.

user1

Honestly, I don't have strong opinions on our topic. I believe that some people are hypocrites, and those people can be found in any political party.

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Republicans are, because they benefit from policies that they denounce. They benefit more from social policies than Democrats on average (blue states often provide funding to red states more than the other way around).

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I live in a red state and the number of Republicans who denounce "handouts" but are the first to demand FEMA money when we get a hurricane is astounding.

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That may be true. I don't doubt it, but overall, I have known plenty of people that benefit from policies that they argue against, and then end up benefitting from, and they often did not claim a political party or were pretty evenly split between the two major parties.

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Republicans are extremely shady but some of the Democrats are shady too. Politicians in general just suck.

user1

Ha, true. They're all a little shady.

user2

Oh yes, if I had to get rid of a group, it wouldn't be Republican or Democrat, it would be career politician.

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I just wish we could elect people from working-class or middle-class backgrounds instead of out-of-touch old rich white men.

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